

REMARKS

The Examiner has issued an Official Action requiring restriction between two groups of inventions. The groups identified by the Examiner are:

Group I: Claims 1-7 drawn to a product and

Group II: Claims 8-14 drawn to a process.

Applicants respectfully traverse this restriction requirement.

However, to expedite prosecution the claims of Group I - Claims 1-7 are provisionally elected.

All rights to file one or more divisional applications directed to the subject matter of the non-elected claims and/or any other subject matter disclosed in the specification are preserved.

Applicants submit that the present application is in condition for allowance and favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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